

TECHNICAL GROWING GUIDE FOR

Native Azalea Sunbow® Solar Glow



KEY FEATURES

Exposure	Full sun
Mature Size	6-8' H x 4-5' W
USDA Zones	Hardy in USDA zones 5-9

- » Brilliant spring-blooming deciduous azaleas
- » Larger, colorful more showy blooms
- » Added attraction of honey-suckle fragrance

Rhododendron Hybrid 'Qbacka' PP27082

HOW TO GROW FROM A LINER

MEDIA	Type	Azalea soil mix
	Soil / Bark	60% new screened bark plus 40% old screened bark.
	Lime	Pulverized dolomitic, 3.5 lbs per cubic yard
	Talstar	3.5 lbs per cubic yard
	pH	5.5 - 6.0
	EC	1.0 - 1.5

FINISHING TIME	1 Gal	Plant liner in spring, finish that fall.
	2 Gal	Plant liner in spring, finish that fall and following spring.
	3 Gal	Plant liner in late summer or early fall. Will finish the following fall.

SHIFTING UP	1 ↗ 2 Gal	Shift in late summer, fall or winter will finish the following fall.
	1 ↗ 3 Gal	Shift in late summer, fall or winter will finish the following fall.

FERTILIZER	Type	Top dress with slow release fertilizer
	App Rate	Medium
	Brands	Harrell's 18-5-13 or Osmocote 15-9-11 or Nutricote 18-8-8

CARE	Light	Full sun
	Growth Rate	Medium
	Water	Medium
	Trimming	Spring after Bloom

PROPAGATION

Timing	Spring (after bloom/late May)
Type	Semi-hardwood cuttings
Hormone	KIBA 3000-4000
Root Rate	Medium / slow

PESTS & DISEASE	Lacebug & Spider mites
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